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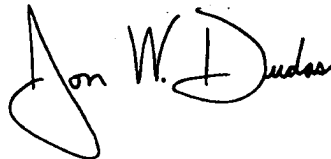
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title Page; item (73);
Assignee: change "ID, LLC" to --Ethicon Endo-Surgery, Inc.--

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